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CLAIMS:

CLMS(1)

What is claimed is:

1. A mutant angiosperm \*\*glutamine\*\* \*\*synthetase\*\* enzyme which is resistant to inhibition by a herbicidal \*\*glutamine\*\* \*\*synthetase\*\* inhibitor.

CLMS(2)

2. The mutant angiosperm \*\*glutamine\*\* \*\*synthetase\*\* enzyme of claim 1 which is resistant to inhibition by a herbicidal \*\*glutamine\*\* \*\*synthetase\*\* inhibitor, wherein said enzyme lacks the four native N-terminal amino acid residues 2 to 5, inclusive.

CLMS(3)

3. The mutant angiosperm \*\*glutamine\*\* \*\*synthetase\*\* enzyme of claim 1, wherein said inhibitor is phosphinothricin.

CLMS(4)

4. A nucleic acid molecule coding for a mutant angiosperm \*\*glutamine\*\* \*\*synthetase\*\* enzyme which is resistant to inhibition by a herbicidal \*\*glutamine\*\* \*\*synthetase\*\* inhibitor, wherein said nucleic acid sequence further comprises an ATG codon prior to the codon for the first N-terminal amino acid residue.

CLMS(5)

5. A recombinant DNA molecule comprising a nucleotide sequence coding for a mutant angiosperm **\*\*glutamine\*\*** **\*\*synthetase\*\*** enzyme which is resistant to inhibition by a herbicidal **\*\*glutamine\*\*** **\*\*synthetase\*\*** inhibitor.

CLMS(6)

6. The recombinant DNA molecule of claim 5, which is a plasmid.

CLMS(7)

7. The recombinant DNA molecule of claim 5, wherein said nucleotide sequence is in operable linkage with a prokaryotic origin of replication, wherein when a prokaryote is transformed with said plasmid, said plasmid replicates.

CLMS(8)

8. The plasmid of claim 7, which is the Ti plasmid of *Agrobacterium tumefaciens*.

CLMS(9)

9. The recombinant DNA molecule of claim 7, wherein said nucleotide sequence is in further operable linkage with a transcription promoter capable of expressing said **\*\*glutamine\*\*** **\*\*synthetase\*\*** sequence in an angiosperm cell.

CLMS(10)

10. A plasmid comprising a prokaryotic origin of replication, a prokaryotic promoter, and a nucleotide sequence coding for a mutant angiosperm **\*\*glutamine\*\*** **\*\*synthetase\*\*** enzyme which is resistant to inhibition by a herbicidal **\*\*glutamine\*\*** **\*\*synthetase\*\*** inhibitor, wherein when a prokaryotic host is transformed with said plasmid, said plasmid replicates, and said enzyme is expressible.

CLMS(11)

11. A host cell transformed by the recombinant DNA molecule of claim 5.

CLMS(12)

12. The host cell of claim 11, which is a prokaryotic microorganism.



CLMS(13)

13. A prokaryotic microorganism transformed with a recombinant DNA molecule comprising a nucleotide sequence coding for a mutant angiosperm **\*\*glutamine\*\* \*\*synthetase\*\*** enzyme which is resistant to inhibition by a herbicidal **\*\*glutamine\*\* \*\*synthetase\*\*** inhibitor.

CLMS(14)

14. The prokaryotic microorganism of claim 13, wherein said recombinant DNA molecule is a plasmid.

CLMS(15)

15. The prokaryotic microorganism of claim 13, which is a bacterium which, in its untransformed state, is incapable of producing functional wild type bacterial **\*\*glutamine\*\* \*\*synthetase\*\***.

CLMS(16)

16. The prokaryote of claim 15, which is a mutant bacterium which, in its untransformed state, exhibits diminished **\*\*glutamine\*\* \*\*synthetase\*\*** activity in comparison to the wild type bacterium.

CLMS(17)

17. The prokaryotic microorganism of any one of claims 13-16 which is E. coli.

CLMS(18)

18. The host cell of claim 11, which is an angiosperm cell.  
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